

Table 4.8 Occupation of Employed Foreign-Born Civilian Workers from Latin America 16 Years and Over by Sex and Sub-region of Birth: 2003
(Numbers in thousands. 1/ 2/)

SEX AND OCCUPATION GROUP	LATIN AMERICA		REGION OF BIRTH					
			CARIBBEAN		CENTRAL AMERICA		SOUTH AMERICA	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total Male & Female	10,472	100.0	1,871	100.0	7,285	100.0	1,316	100.0
Management, Professional, and Related Occupations	1,326	12.7	435	23.3	574	7.9	316	24.0
Management, business, and financial	538	5.1	161	8.6	260	3.6	117	8.9
Professional and related	788	7.5	275	14.7	314	4.3	199	15.1
Service Occupations	3,073	29.3	549	29.3	2,165	29.7	359	27.3
Sales and Office Occupations	1,583	15.1	427	22.9	893	12.3	262	19.9
Sales and related	739	7.1	174	9.3	456	6.3	108	8.2
Office and administrative	844	8.1	253	13.5	437	6.0	154	11.7
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	265	2.5	1	0.1	261	3.6	2	0.2
Construction, Extraction, and Maintenance Occupations	1,770	16.9	170	9.1	1,446	19.8	154	11.7
Construction and extraction	1,373	13.1	111	5.9	1,147	15.7	115	8.7
Installation, maintenance, and repair	397	3.8	59	3.2	299	4.1	39	3.0
Production, Transportation, and Material Moving Occupations	2,456	23.5	288	15.4	1,946	26.7	222	16.9
Production	1,444	13.8	144	7.7	1,186	16.3	114	8.7
Transportation and material moving	1,012	9.7	143	7.7	760	10.4	108	8.2

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	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total Male	6,602	100.0	901	100.0	4,940	100.0	761	100.0
Management, Professional, and Related Occupations	679	10.3	196	21.8	315	6.4	169	22.1
Management, business, and financial	308	4.7	88	9.7	148	3.0	72	9.5
Professional and related	371	5.6	109	12.0	166	3.4	97	12.7
Service Occupations	1,528	23.1	170	18.9	1,200	24.3	158	20.7
Sales and Office Occupations	676	10.2	166	18.4	396	8.0	114	15.0
Sales and related	355	5.4	82	9.1	216	4.4	57	7.5
Office and administrative	321	4.9	84	9.3	180	3.6	57	7.5
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	201	3.1	1	0.2	198	4.0	2	0.3
Construction, Extraction, and Maintenance Occupations	1,732	26.2	164	18.2	1,416	28.7	152	19.9
Construction and extraction	1,350	20.5	107	11.9	1,129	22.9	114	14.9
Installation, maintenance, and repair	382	5.8	57	6.3	287	5.8	38	5.0
Production, Transportation, and Material Moving Occupations	1,784	27.0	203	22.5	1,415	28.6	166	21.8
Production	932	14.1	81	9.0	779	15.8	72	9.4
Transportation and material moving	852	12.9	121	13.5	636	12.9	95	12.4

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Total Female	3,870	100.0	970	100.0	2,345	100.0	555	100.0
Management, Professional, and Related Occupations	646	16.7	239	24.7	260	11.1	147	26.6
Management, business, and financial	230	5.9	73	7.5	112	4.8	45	8.1
Professional and related	417	10.8	166	17.1	148	6.3	102	18.5
Service Occupations	1,544	39.9	379	39.0	965	41.1	201	36.2
Sales and Office Occupations	906	23.4	262	27.0	497	21.2	148	26.6
Sales and related	384	9.9	93	9.5	240	10.2	51	9.3
Office and administrative	522	13.5	169	17.4	257	10.9	96	17.4
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	64	1.6	-	-	64	2.7	-	-
Construction, Extraction, and Maintenance Occupations	38	1.0	6	0.6	30	1.3	2	0.4
Construction and extraction	22	0.6	3	0.3	18	0.7	1	0.2
Installation, maintenance, and repair	16	0.4	2	0.2	12	0.5	1	0.2
Production, Transportation, and Material Moving Occupations	672	17.4	85	8.8	531	22.6	56	10.1
Production	512	13.2	63	6.5	407	17.3	42	7.7
Transportation and material moving	160	4.1	22	2.3	124	5.3	14	2.5

- Represents or rounds to zero.

1/ The majority of those born in 'Central America' are from Mexico.

2/ Status refers to reference week of the survey.

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